

Encounter Reporting

NCPDP

Guidelines for Submitting Encounter Data
Files

Useful Resources for Creating Encounter
Data Files

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Goals

- ✚ Basic understanding of how to improve the processing of NCPDP encounter data
- ✚ Awareness of variety of resources available for creating MDCH NCPDP encounter data

NCPDP Submission Guidelines

✚ **Transmission Limit:**

- ▣ No More Than 100,000 Transmissions within One Batch

✚ **Production Submission Guidelines:**

- ▣ Submit Throughout the Month
 - Batch Number Accommodates 99 Submissions a Day
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- ▣ Submit During Non-Business Hours
 - Before 8am or After 5pm
 - On the Weekend

NCPDP Encounter Resources

❁ MDCH Documentation

- ❁ Companion Guide for NCPDP Pharmacy Encounters Telecommunication Standard Version 5.1 and Batch Standard 1.1 is available at:

www.michigan.gov/mdch >Providers >>HIPAA >>HIPAA Implementation Materials>Information for Health Plans>Companion Guides/Data Clarification Documents

- ❁ B2B Testing Instructions are available at:

www.michigan.gov/mdch >Providers >>HIPAA >>HIPAA Implementation Materials>Information for Health Plans>Testing and Certification

NCPDP Encounter Resources (cont.)

● NCPDP Reference Materials

- ❏ Batch Standard Guide v1.1
- ❏ Batch Implementation Guide v1.1
- ❏ Telecommunication Standard v5.1
- ❏ Telecommunication Implementation Guide v5.1
- ❏ Data Dictionary dated September 1999
- ❏ Above available at:

[>>Members Only>>Standards Download](http://www.ncpdp.org)

- ❏ Telecommunication 5 Q&A and Editorial Guide available at:
<http://www.ncpdp.org/members/standards/version5questions.pdf>

Guidelines for Submission and Resources

Questions?